

Bryan and Beet Sugar.

Michigan is one of the foremost states in the production of beet sugar. The industry is a great and growing one, giving employment to thousands of people and good returns to the farmers engaged in it. If Mr. Bryan had his way that industry would be wiped out. This is something that the people of Michigan ought to know, and a recent speech by William H. Taft will give them some timely information. In commenting on it the Chicago Tribune says:

"There is no question as to how Mr. Bryan stands personally on the sugar question. The Wilson bill as it passed the house met with his approval. It put raw sugar on the free list with no bounty to American producers. If the senate had not made raw sugar dutiable there would have been a sudden stop to the production of cane and beet sugar in the United States.

"The tariff plank of the Democratic platform, which Mr. Bryan approves of, proposes to do the destructive work in another way. It promises to put on the free list all articles 'entering into competition with trust-controlled products.' Refined sugar is one of the products which Mr. Bryan says is controlled by a trust, and therefore should be put on the free list. If this were done both trust and independent refineries would be closed. The importation of raw sugar would cease and that of refined sugar begin. The producers of beet sugar on the continent of Europe would take possession of this market. Competition with them by the American beet sugar men would be out of the question. They would have to go out of business. Farmers and factory hands would both suffer.

"Here is food for thought for the men who are in the beet sugar industry in Colorado, Michigan, California, Utah, Wisconsin and Nebraska. What does Mr. Bryan offer them if he shall be elected? The destruction of their profitable and expanding business."

"I hope and believe that all far-sighted citizens who wish to see this country prosperous in material things will support Mr. Taft but above all I ask for support for him because he stands for the moral uplift of the nation, because his deeds have made good his words, and because the policies to which he is committed are of immeasurable consequence alike to the honor and interest of the whole American people.—President Theodore Roosevelt.

ANOTHER STATE ISSUE

The Democratic Candidate for Governor Has Failed To Mention His **SIN TO LICENSE** Bucket Shops.

The democratic candidate for governor is just now engaged in criticizing the republicans of Michigan for what has been done in the state and for some things not done. The fact that Michigan in most respects is admitted by Mr. Hemans to be decidedly all right, speaks well for its republican management and republican direction, and there is one further item for which the republicans deserve credit that Mr. Hemans has thus far failed to mention, and that is the defeat of his own bill intended to license and legalize bucket shops. The democratic candidate for governor was a member of the legislature of 1901. In March of that year he introduced bill No. 1297, the purpose of which was to make it lawful for individuals, corporations and associations to keep offices or places wherein could be conducted the buying or selling of grain, provisions or other products on margins or otherwise. And it was especially provided in Mr. Hemans' bill that "any such sale or purchase, even without any intention upon the part of the seller of delivering and paying therefor or without the intention upon the part of the seller of delivering and receiving the entire compensation therefor shall be and is hereby declared to be a legitimate legal transaction." Mr. Hemans' bill provided that the secretary of state should issue a license for the conducting of such business, and that the operators should give bonds. What the people of Michigan think of the bucket shop business, which would have been licensed and legalized if the democratic candidate for governor had secured the passage of his bill, is shown by the fact that at the last session of the legislature a bill was passed and it was signed by Governor Warner entirely prohibiting the existence of bucket shops in Michigan. In referring to the things he is anxious to do why has Mr. Hemans not stated his desire to legalize bucket shops in this state? And in finding fault with republican management in Michigan, why has he forgotten to criticize the action of Governor Warner and the last republican legislature in effectually ridding the state of the bucket shop affliction? It would seem that Mr. Hemans has some purposes in mind in seeking to be governor which he has not thought best to publicly refer to.

President Roosevelt says of William Howard Taft: "He will do wrong for no man, and therefore can be trusted by all men."

The consignment sale of Holstein cattle at Detroit last Thursday and Friday was a big success. 110 head were sold, and brought in round figures \$17,000. \$900 was the highest price paid. J. Fred Smith sold six head for a total of \$1,000, and bought back a heifer he had sold, paying \$300. One hundred of the cattle sold were bought by Michigan farmers, many of whom had never owned thoroughbred cattle. Delors Eddy and Hubert Brown attended the sale and purchased some of the cattle. —Byron Herald.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Of Special Interest to Women.

It is doubtful if any other newspaper in the United States offers so much that is of interest to women and of value in the home as does the CHICAGO RECORD-HERALD. In the daily issues are to be found a daily pattern suitable for home dressmaking, the daily bill of fare, chatty society news and Mme. Qui Vive's daily feature of answers upon beauty topics. On Monday appears "Martha's Management," devoted to household and culinary topics, while short light reading for the whole family is always found on the editorial page. On Friday appears Dr. Withrow's comment on the Sunday school lesson, and through the week will be found crisp reviews of the new books. In the Sunday issue a complete section is devoted to women, containing Mme. Qui Vive's beauty page, "Hints for the Home Dressmaker" by Jeannette Hope, Marion Harland's page, Dame Curtesey's "Novelties in Entertainment," society news and many special articles of interest to women. The Sunday Magazine of THE RECORD-HERALD is full of good stories, interesting articles on timely topics, clever verse wit, humor and miscellany, with many beautiful illustrations. It has the real magazine flavor.

The November St. Nicholas will have the first chapters of Ralph Henry Barbour's new story, "Captain Chub," carrying on the fun and adventures of Roy, Dick, Harry, and Chub, whose experiences have been told in "The Crimson Sweater," "Tom, Dick, and Harriet," and "Harry's Island."

The New Home of the Detroit Journal

The new building of The Detroit Journal is the most artistic in the whole business district of Detroit. The basement is of Bedford stone and the walls of white enameled terra cotta. The roof is tiled. One of the most striking features is the arched entrance, with its gilded coffered ceiling, its marble steps and wainscoting, its mosaic landing, and the large windows in the sides, giving a full view of the press room in the basement, where three big Hoe



presses run off the papers at the rate of 48,000 an hour each. The floors are of hardwood and the interior fittings of mahogany finish. It is the lightest, airiest, most commodious newspaper building in the country. The Journal, already recognized as one of the leading newspapers in the state, will be made still better in its new home where every convenience is provided to do the work on a great daily paper.

A. O. H. to Raise Rates.

By a vote of five to one, the state conference of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, in session at Detroit Sunday, decided to increase the insurance rates of the order, canvass of the ballots being completed Sunday afternoon.

The increased rates will become effective January 1, 1909, when the old rates of 90 cents, \$1.20 and \$1.40 per \$1,000 will be jumped to \$1 and \$1.50 per \$1,000.

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What They Need It For.
We pay \$62,000 in county tax this year for the following purposes, as outlined by the board of supervisors:
Officers' salaries \$22,900
Supts. of Poor 10,000
Soldiers' relief 500
Buildings and grounds 3,500
Bonds due 15,000
Interest on bonds 2,400
Contingent fund 7,700

Amount of Bond Fixed

The board of supervisors has fixed the amount of bonds required by the various county officers as follows: Treasurer, \$50,000; clerk, \$2,000, and register in chancery, (who is also the clerk,) \$5,000; coroners, \$1,000 each; sheriff, \$10,000; circuit court commissioners, \$1,000 each; register of deeds, \$5,000.

Heretofore the register has not been called upon to furnish any bonds, but now that he is on salary and is handling county money it was deemed necessary.

Says Judge Brooke is an Able Man.

"Leaving the question of politics entirely aside, for politics should not enter into the selection of a supreme court justice at all," said Attorney John T. McCurdy Wednesday, "the loss which the supreme court suffered by the retirement of Judge Carpenter would be largely minimized by the election of Judge Flavius L. Brooke, of Detroit, to succeed him.

"Judge Brooke is an indefatigable worker, a man of great experience and legal learning—in fact he has all the qualifications that go to make up an ideal supreme court justice.

"No Michigan voter can possibly make a mistake in casting a ballot for Judge Brooke."

Local News.

Mrs. Jane Ross, of Berville, arrived Monday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Ferguson, in this city.

Thomas A. Dowling left Saturday evening for Tamworth, Ont., to attend the funeral of his uncle, James Dowling.

J. F. Baese is spending a few days with friends in Detroit.

Justin Shattuck was home from Ann Arbor over Sunday.

Mrs. Bertha Wesener is in Saginaw the guest of her son, Hugo.

Mrs. Manly Card, of Detroit, is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Odell.

Andrew McKerring and Benjamin Priest are spending a few days with the former's son, H. T. McKerring in Manistiquette.

Mrs. S. J. Harding spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gerow, of Ovid.

Miss Nellie Troy, of Saginaw, is visiting with Miss Nellie Crane, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Miller, of Plymouth, have returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stevens.

The Woodward factories are running twelve hours a day for a few weeks, to catch up with orders.

Mrs. Eudora Estey Bryson and daughter, Miss Nona, are visiting in Pontiac.

Friday and Saturday, October 30 and 31, will be registration days, and all who desire to vote at the November elections who have not already registered in the city or have removed from one ward to another since the last election must see that their names are properly enrolled on the registration books.

An actual residence of twenty days in the ward where a voter intends to cast his ballot must be had, and no one can legally vote who has not complied with the requirements of the law except those who may be away from the city or unable on account of sickness to present themselves before the registration boards on the two days assigned.

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Had a Delightful Time

Thirty-five members of the Women's club, and other friends went to Lansing Saturday morning, where they were entertained during day by Mrs. D. J. Gillam, formerly Miss Katherine E. Kelsey, of Corunna.

They were cordially welcomed and passed a most delightful day with Mrs. Gillam. They found on the porch and all over the house humorous signs which tended to put everyone at their ease. The signs made such a hit that they were confiscated and worn home in triumph by various of the visitors.

A elaborate and delicious dinner was served at noon. Mrs. Gillam being assisted by the Misses Abigail and Emma Chandler, of Corunna, and Sarah MacAlvay, of Lansing. In the afternoon there were some instrumental selections by Mrs. W. H. Simmons, of Mason, and Mrs. Walter Bush read a history of the club. This was of great interest and paid tribute to what Mrs. Gillam had done to make the organization a success. As Miss Kelsey, their hostess was one of the founders and an officer of the club.

Five hundred was enjoyed by part of the guests, while others visited the Capitol and other places of interest. The party returned home on the evening Michigan Central train, voting Mrs. Gillam an ideal hostess who had lost nothing of her charm by marriage, and the day a red-letter one in the annals of the club.

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Real Estate Transfers.
E. Gilmore et al to J. Light and wife, lt 8, blk 7, VanAkins add, Vernon, \$25.
J. Payne to B. Cudney, w 1/2 of ne 1/4, sec 31, Owosso, \$5030.
J. Brown to F. Hutchinson, lt 5 blk 14, D. L. Co.'s 2nd add, Durand, \$125.
H. Hodges to L. Beach, pt lt 4, blk 6, Morrice and Its 1, 2 and 3, blk 2, Davis' add, Morrice, \$850.
J. Judd to G. Crowe and wife, pt nw 1/4, sec 34, Hazelton, \$700.
F. Gardard to F. Rogers, pt sw 1/4, sec 28, Vernon, \$1060.
A. Warren to E. Warren, pt sw 1/4, sec 34, Middlebury, \$1,000.
M. Steffy to O. Lee, pt sw 1/4, sec 14, Burns, \$1100.
C. Ford to M. Corp, lt sec 14, Owosso, \$90.
Owosso Casket Co. to M. Shea, lt 14, blk 1, sub blk 1, A. L. Wm.'s add, Owosso, \$600.
H. Ainsworth to A. Summings and wife, nw 1/4, sec 21, Corunna, \$1500.

Pledged to Keep All Men Within the Law.

In his speech at St. Paul, Mr. Taft gave this pledge: "If I am elected as I expect to be, I have the greatest pleasure in pledging, in the presence of this grand audience, all the energies and all the abilities of which I am capable to continue the Roosevelt policies, to make business honest and to keep every man within the law, be he humble or rich."

Probate Court.

Mrs. Etta J. Bostwick, of Martin City, Mo., has been appointed administratrix of the estate of her husband, Byron Bostwick, deceased. The deceased was a resident of Kansas City, Mo., and left real estate in this county.

Hearing of claims was closed in the estate of Martin W. Willoughby, deceased.

An order was made committing Frank J. Nickels, a delinquent child to the Industrial School at Lansing. The final account of Gilbert L. Taylor as administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Stillman J. Harding, deceased, was allowed.

An order was made determining Andrew D. Benson and Dana H. Benson to be the sole heirs of Jane W. Benson, deceased. The deceased died Aug. 14, 1887 leaving property in Laingsburg.

The final account of Evelene J. Card as executrix of the estate of Wm. H. Card, deceased, of Laingsburg, has been allowed.

An order was made determining Wilford B. Kitchen, of Grand Rapids, to be the sole heir at law of Julia L. Kitchen, deceased. The deceased was a resident of Grand Rapids and left property in the village of Durand.

Julius P. Phillips, of Bowling Green, Ohio, was appointed special administrator of the estate of Margaret E. Carse, deceased, of Middlebury. The petition for the appointment of a general administrator will be heard Nov. 23rd.

A petition has been filed for the appointment of James H. Laverock as trustee of the trust fund created by the will of John H. Champion, deceased. The hearing was set for Nov. 23rd.

In the estate of Christopher Stephens, deceased, Adelbert T. Colby, the executor has resigned and his final account been allowed. Henry Stephens has been appointed administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the estate to complete the settlement.

Burt Williams, of Bennington township, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Cora M. Williams, deceased, of Perry township.

Charles E. Godfrey has been discharged as executor of the estate of Olive Gray Ateberg, deceased, of Burns township.

Lawrence C. Hamilton, of Flint, has been appointed guardian of Mrs. Bessie Bailey, a mentally incompetent person. George Bonnell and Lewis Weeks, of Owosso, were appointed appraisers.

A petition for license to sell real estate in the estate of Paul and Pauline Clark, minors, has been filed, and the hearing set for Nov. 30th.

The final account of A. L. Beard, as administrator of the estate of John McMahon, deceased, has been allowed.

Lincoln's 100th Anniversary.

New York, N. Y., Oct. 28.—The plan and scope committee of the Lincoln committee has submitted a report on the proposed celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Lincoln, February 12, 1909.

It is suggested that Lincoln's Gettysburg address be read on that day in the public schools; that a public meeting be held, that a short history of Lincoln's life, including his Gettysburg address, emancipation proclamation and other suitable extracts from his speeches and correspondence be printed for distribution in the schools and elsewhere.

The committee further recommends that the managers of theatres be requested to have the Gettysburg address read during the performance.

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Sawyer—Phillips.
Henry J. Sawyer and Miss Mamie Phillips, of this city, were united in marriage Tuesday morning at St. Paul's Catholic church by Rev. Fr. P. J. Slane, nuptial high mass preceding the ceremony. They were attended by the bride's brother and sister, Thomas P. Phillips, of Rapid River, Mich., and Miss Anna Phillips, of Owosso.

There were many friends and acquaintances of the bridal couple at the church. After the ceremony they repaired to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Phillips, Chestnut street, where a wedding breakfast was served to the immediate relatives.

The bride wore an Empire gown of cream batiste, with mesaline silk and net trimmings. The bridesmaid wore a Princess gown of tan batiste with Persian bands.

To escape the farewells of many who were in waiting, Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer left at noon by automobile for Durand. From there they went to Detroit, and will visit Mr. Clemens and Chicago on their wedding trip. They will be at home after Nov. 15 at 432 Clinton street in a cosy home which the groom has furnished.

Both young people are well and favorably known in this city. Mr. Sawyer has worked up from the ranks and is now a locomotive engineer on the Ann Arbor railroad. He is a member of Owosso lodge of Elks, Owosso Council, Knights of Columbus, and St. Paul's Catholic church. Mrs. Sawyer was born in this city, and for several years was a clerk in D. M. Christian's store. She is also a member of the Catholic church. All who know them will join in extending good wishes for a life of happiness to Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer.

"If I am elected president I propose to devote all the ability that is in me to the constructive work of suggesting to congress the means by which the Roosevelt policies shall be clinched."—Hon. William H. Taft, at Sandusky, Ohio, Sept. 8th, 1908.

A Vain Search.

Hudson, in this county, has done its own lighting for the past eleven years and run behind more than \$2,000 a year in doing it. Like Wakefield, it has found a lighting plant a pretty expensive utility. There is nothing in the Hudson outfit to show that the grand deficit of \$23,000 in the time mentioned has gone into the plant, and it is not easy for the townsmen to find where it has gone.—Lowell (Mass.) Citizen.

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Notice of Registration of Electors of

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To the Electors of the City of Owosso: Take notice, That the Boards of Registration of the city of Owosso will meet in the several wards of said city on Friday and Saturday, the 30th and 31st days of October, 1908, from 8 o'clock in the forenoon until 8 o'clock in the afternoon of said days for the purpose of completing the lists of the qualified voters of said City.

And at said sessions of said Boards a REGISTRATION OF ALL THE ELECTORS of each ward of said city IS REQUIRED TO BE MADE.

The several Boards of Registration will meet for said purpose at the following places: First Ward, 125 West Exchange Street, in basement.

Second Ward, Times Printing Office, 123 East Main Street.

Third Ward, City Hall, 120 1/2 East Main Street.

Fourth Ward, Fourth Ward Voting Place, South Water Street.

Fifth Ward, Hose House No. 2, 1007 West Main Street.

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Probate Order.

State of Michigan, County of Shiawassee, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Shiawassee held at the Probate Office in the City of Corunna, on the 30th day of October in the year one thousand nine hundred and eight.

Present, Matthew Bush, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Hiram S. Andrus, Deceased: Arthur M. Hume as administrator with the will annexed having rendered to this court his final account.

It is ordered that the 10th day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for examining and allowing said account.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in The Owosso Times, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Shiawassee.

MATTHEW BUSH, Judge of Probate.

By FLORENCE LINDSEY, Probate Register.

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